

9330 ZIONSVILLE ROAD
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46268-1054
Phone: 317-337-4944
Fax: 317-337-4847

1634
**DOW AGROSCIENCES
LLC**

Fax

FAX RECEIVED

DEC 23 2002

GROUP 1600

RECEIVED
APR 09 2003
TECH CENTER 1600/2900**To:** Juliet C. Einsmann**From:** Kenneth B. Ludwig**Fax:** 703-308-4242**Date:** December 23, 2002**Phone:****Pages:** 3

RE: Applicant: Keller, et al.
Serial No.: 09/253,153- 235153
Filed: January 22, 1999
For: Methods and Compositions for Modifying Levels of Secondary
Metabolic Compounds in Plants
Group Art Unit: 1634
Examiner: Juliet Caroline Einsmann
Docket No.: SB-B750
Our ref.: 50640 US

•Comments:

Attached is a Supplemental Amendment in addition to the December 18, 2002 Amendment. If you have any questions regarding this Supplemental Amendment, please contact me.

Thank you.

VIA FACSIMILE and USPS
(703) 308-4242

December 23, 2002

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant (s): Keller, et al.

Serial No.: 09/235,153

Group Art Unit: 1634

Filed: January 22, 1999

Examiner: EINSMANN, Juliet Caroline

For: Methods and Compositions for Modifying Levels of
Secondary Metabolic Compounds in Plants

Docket No.: SB-B750

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

In response to an Office Action concerning above-identified application mailed June 24, 2002, Applicants filed an Amendment along with a Petition and fee for a three-month extension of time on December 18, 2002. In the December 18, 2002 Amendment, however, Applicants inadvertently did not submit the entire text of new claim 81. Applicants respectfully submit the entire text of new claim 81 herewith.

In the December 18, 2002 Amendment, new claim 81 should read as follows:

In the Claims

Please add the following new claim 81:

--81. (new) A method for improving a nutritional profile of a plant, comprising the steps of:

selecting a nucleic acid sequence for its ability to encode an enzyme capable of modifying the utilization of an intermediate substrate in a secondary metabolic